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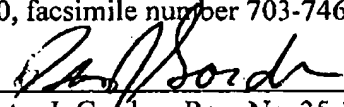
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 27, 2003, the Applicant submits this reply.

Applicant hereby petitions for two-month extension to submit this reply. Please charge the extension fee to **Deposit Account No. 50-0876**.

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Please amend this patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 4.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 9.

Remarks begin on page 10, of which the **Conclusion** is on page 14.

An **Appendix** of four sheets including amended drawing figures is attached following page 14.